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FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY HARTMAN FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINT, PL
SUBJECT: POLISH MEAT SHORTAGE

REF: WARSAW 1353

1. IN VIEW OF THE SERIOUS DESTABILIZING POTENTIAL INHERENT IN ANY PUBLIC UNREST IN POLAND OVER MEAT AND FOOD SHORTAGES, I STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT RFE BE INSTRUCTED BY BIB TO EXERCISE EXTREME CAUTION IN COMMENTING ON THE CURRENT MEAT SHORTAGE IN POLAND, IN PICKING UP AND BROADCASTING UNCONFIRMED REPORTS OF PUBLIC DISTURBANCES, AND IN DRAWING PARALLELS TO THE DECEMBER, 1970, SITUATION.

2. THE SITUATION IS IN NO WAY COMPARABLE TO THAT OF DECEMBER, 1970. THE GIEREK REGIME APPEARS TO BE TAKING EFFECTIVE STEPS TO PROVIDE AN INCREASED SUPPLY OF MEAT TO THE MARKET.
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